



Carved Pumpkin Centerpiece

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Materials:

- [Walnut Hollow® #23906 Creative Versa-Tool™](#)
- Decorative Foam Craft Pumpkin from your local craft store
- 1 Sheet Black Stiff Felt
- Glitter Glue Pens (Halloween Colors Including Silver)
- 1 Sheet Each Purple and Orange Cardstock
- Disappearing Fabric Marker
- Other supplies: Hot glue gun, pliers, protective work surface or glass mat, ruler, scissors, tape, thick craft glue



star pattern

Instructions:

Note: Please read all of the Creative Versa-Tool™ packaging, including the safety precautions. Use pliers when changing and removing Points from the hot tool.

1. Secure Stand to a hard protected surface with tape. Attach Hot Knife Point on Tool. Place Tool on Stand. Plug into electric outlet and let heat for 4-5 minutes.
2. While the Tool is heating, use the disappearing marker to draw a face onto the pumpkin.
3. Using the Hot Knife Point, carve (cut) the pumpkin on the traced lines made with the marker. Push the cut portion through to the inside of the pumpkin.
4. Cut approximately 1 ½-2" from around the stem of the pumpkin. Cut portion should be large enough for hand to be inserted. Remove the top and take out the cut portions. Unplug hot tool.
5. Cut black felt pieces large enough to fit behind the jack-o-lantern's face. Apply thick craft glue to edges of cut felt pieces and place inside pumpkin behind face.
6. Trace and cut a 12" circle onto black stiff felt. Cut circle in half. Wrap 1 piece of felt into a cone shape. Hot glue overlapped edges together creating a party hat.
7. Cut an 8" circle from black stiff felt. This will be the brim of the party hat.
8. Apply hot glue to bottom edge of hat and adhere to brim.
9. Trace and cut star pattern onto cardstock.
10. Cut a 1" x 12" strip from purple cardstock. Fan-fold cardstock creating a circle shape. Hot glue ends together. Place a small dab of hot glue in center to hold together.
11. Hot glue purple fan-folded circle to center of hat. Hot glue star to center of circle.
12. Using pencil widen hole at top of party hat. Cut 1/8" strips of orange cardstock and tuck into top of hat.
13. Highlight features of jack-o-lantern, hat, and star with glitter glue pens.

